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Case No. 12303-3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

· In re Application of:

Miguel Angel Gutierrez Ponce

Serial No:

10/684,815

Examiner: N/A

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October 14, 2003

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated July 14, 2004 for a period of 2 month(s).

M	Applicant:				
	\boxtimes	claims small entity status.	See 37	C.F.R.	§1.27
		is other than small entity			

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		Extension Months	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity					
		One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110.00 \$420.00 \$950.00 \$1,480.00 \$2,010.00	\$55.00 \$210.00 \$475.00 \$740.00 \$1,005.00					
Fee Payment									
\boxtimes	Attached is a check for \$210 for the Petition fee.								
	Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$ for the Petition fee.								
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.								
			Respect	fully submitted,					
Dated	l:	August 24, 2004	Registra	Y.V. MacMurray tion No. 50,399 of for Applicant					

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